

BUSINESS SPECIALS.

Under this head business notices inserted for ten cents per line. Eight words to the line. Carriage lamps at the Tucker Harness Store. G. P. Downing has factory damaged shoes for sale at his home at No. 5 Crescent St. He will attend the fair this fall. See ad.

Notice—Work for girls. Clean, neat work to make shoes. Cash paid weekly. Instructions at Orange Hall, 8 o'clock, Friday, a. m. Whiting & Davis, Co., Plainville, Mass.

H. P. & E. E. Andrews have a load of horses Friday Sept. 3. Some extra large ones in this load.

Use the second-hand range only used one year. Come soon as it will move quick. Wm. C. Leavitt Co.

Norway Municipal Court.

WM. F. JONES, JUDGE.

The people on Fore St., Oxford have been losing their home for some time past. Word was sent to officer W. A. Birknell, who made an investigation and followed the trail of a peculiarly named house until it led up to its owner, A. A. Lafrank, of Greenwood, who was taken in charge and appeared before the court last Monday. He pleaded guilty and was sentenced for petty larceny and was fined \$3 and costs amounting to about \$11.

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NORWAY AND VICINITY.

Change in Telephone Numbers.

On account of running the cable on the telephone poles the following numbers have been changed. Make the change in your telephone directory. There are now only four or six telephones on a line.

Old No.	New No.
102-2	C. H. Adams.....102-11
102-3	Dr. H. L. Bartlett.....102-12
102-4	Edward G. Burwell.....102-13
102-5	Dr. P. N. Barker.....102-14
102-6	J. P. Bolster.....102-15
102-7	Cole's Jewelry Store.....102-16
102-8	Sanitation Radio.....102-17
102-9	A. L. Clark.....102-18
102-10	C. H. Burwell.....102-19
102-11	Arthur H. Hurd.....102-20
102-12	Dr. H. P. Jones.....102-21
102-13	F. A. McDonald.....102-22
102-14	Dr. C. M. McLaughlin.....102-23
102-15	Norway Drug Store.....102-24
102-16	Norway Savings Bank.....102-25
102-17	Norway Water Co.....102-26
102-18	Mark Price.....102-27
102-19	House of Prayer.....102-28
102-20	W. E. Perkins.....102-29
102-21	C. R. Ranger & Co.....102-30
102-22	Dr. L. H. Trafton.....102-31
102-23	Geo. R. Fuchs.....102-32
102-24	L. L. Durbin.....102-33

Mrs. Abby L. Johnson.

Mrs. Abby L. Johnson died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harry E. Lovejoy, Tuesday, of a heart trouble, from which she had been suffering for the past few weeks.

Mrs. Johnson was born in Buckfield, the daughter of Benjamin and James Henry Hodgdon. She married Hiram Johnson of Buckfield 51 years ago. They lived in Buckfield, Auburn, Norway and Massachusetts. Mr. Johnson died several years ago. Their children are: Mrs. Joseph Gray, Norway; Mrs. Annie Stiles, Norway; James E. Johnson, Mechanic Falls; Mrs. Fred Maxwell, Auburn; Mrs. Sarah E. Moore, Worcester, Mass.; Mrs. Harry E. Lovejoy, Norway; George, Charlie and Henry Johnson are all living.

In religion Mrs. Johnson was a Methodist. The funeral was from her late home, Thursday at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. C. W. Wentworth being the attending clergyman.

THE ADVERTISER will come out with a Daily, as usual, during the Fair. If you wish to tell the people what you have, get your copy early.

Thaxter B. Doughty, who recently bought and moved on to the Mills place, has been making many improvements there, cutting bushes, laying over stone wall, fixing telephone and additions for convenience about the barn and house. His latest improvement is a round silo 12x25 feet to be added to the north side of the barn. The silo was bought in Auburn and when erected will probably cost somewhere in the vicinity of \$125.

The annual meeting of the Norway & Paris Street railway was held at the office of Freehold Howe. The following officers were elected:

Freehold Howe, Norway.

Secy—Percy W. Hill, Augusta.

Treas.—Miss E. H. Morrill, Augusta.

General Manager—H. B. Young, Norway.

Directors—Freehold Howe, Norway; George Macomber, Guy P. Gannett, Percy W. Hill, Augusta; Elizabeth B. Beat, Norway.

We had a shower last Thursday forenoon. It came about eleven o'clock and caught George A. Cole with a lot of hay ready for the barn from his mill pond field. The field from which he has never harvested the hay without its being wet, right on to 4 o'clock. This was second crop and Mr. Cole felt that he ought to get the hay in this time without the wetting. But the shower caught him just in season. He rushed around and made some remarks but the hay got wet.

Rev. B. S. Rideout and family have returned home. All services at the Congregational church will be resumed next Sunday, and after a short sermon, the Holy Communion. In the evening a brief address will be given by the pastor on the famous lectures of Madame Bonifant at Old Orchard. Services at the Center church in the afternoon at the usual hour, but a short sermon, the Holy Communion. In the evening a brief address will be given by the pastor on the famous lectures of Madame Bonifant at Old Orchard. Services at the Center church in the afternoon at the usual hour, but a short sermon, the Holy Communion. In the evening a brief address will be given by the pastor on the famous lectures of Madame Bonifant at Old Orchard.

Mrs. Edward Conner of Spokane, Washington, is visiting her cousins, the Cummings families and her sister Stephen B. Cummings. Mrs. Conner is better known in Oxford County as Ella Tibbets. She is the daughter of the late Henry Tibbets of Fryeburg. She married Mr. Conner, one of the prominent lawyers of Spokane and at the present time city solicitor, and went there to live seven years ago. Each summer she makes a visit to her native state. She will return to Spokane by the first of October.

Do not snare, shoot at or kill the pigeons, they are harmless and bother no one. They look well and are cared for by the people who like them. We think there is a law against the snaring of the birds and it is said those who indulge in it are liable to go before the court. There is a large flock of pigeons who live in and about the sheds of the shoe factory engaged in their work. They are daily fed and properly housed and interfere with no one, except possibly the engineers at the factory, but he is willing to care for them, and if the killing and snaring of the pigeons continue, there is sure to be trouble. Take our word for it and quit molesting them.

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SEPTEMBER 3, 1909, NORWAY, MAINE.

Championship Series.

Mechanic Falls 7; Radcliffe 1.

Radcliffe went down to defeat Saturday, Aug. 28, before one of the largest crowds ever assembled on the County fair grounds to witness a single base ball game.

It is the same old story of bad luck following a crippled team while trying to make good against a fast organization greatly strengthened by strong outside players.

Radcliffe was certainly a victim of peculiar circumstances which could not be changed. The weakness in the catching department was a severe blow to strong hopes for a successful finish. Frank Lanan, the popular back stop, was suffering from the injury sustained to his hand in the game one week before, but pluckily entered the contest after the manager received word Friday that the catcher engaged for the day would be unable to fill the date.

It was a grave mistake to allow Lanan behind the bat because of physical unfitness, but the errors charged against the speedy player are excusable though costly and bore directly on the one-sided score.

Mechanic Falls was in the pink of condition and full of ginger. The team had undergone a shake-up during the week with a result of two players being discarded and their places taken by well seasoned boys like Frank Carey of Colby and Harlan Stanwood of Bowdoin. This radical change gave strength to Percy's combination and they put out almost an errorless article. Their field work was fast and clean; the batting timely and heavy, so on the whole the Mechanic Falls bunch gave the best exhibition seen from them in the series.

On the other hand Radcliffe played a little game not up to the article usually passed along. With the catching department crippled and several adverse decisions coming at critical stages, just gave the team a funeral aspect. Costly errors also figured conspicuously in the mix-up so on the whole Radcliffe had a decidedly off day.

"Uncle" Bill pitched his game though, and had the hits scattered until the seventh, when he was forced to let up because of Lanan's injury.

Up to that time the Falls found only four singles with nine strike outs, but after that they did everlastingly pound the ball for five singles, two doubles and a triple, yet secured only four runs on the last, lammering.

Four of their seven scores were just easy gifts. One should be noticed especially because of its resemblance to things worked out in the common game of scrub. Tilton struck out; the third strike was dropped and he capered around the bases without a hitch and scored, merely on bad throwing and fumbles. This kind of playing so early in the game proved a knock-out drop, yet at odd times there were fast plays pulled off. Jimmy Farnum got a put out which deserves favorable notice and was really one bright ray of light. Jimmy captured a fly after a long run and a tumble, but he held the ball and got the batter. "Kid" Harrison also fielded sharply, accepting the five chances without error. Tim Gammon did his duty as a faithful mowh and secured everything coming within reach toward first. But aside from the above mentioned work and a very few other moves, Radcliffe was not up to the standard required to win and hold the Western Maine Championship.

The Game.

The contest started with Mechanic Falls at the bat but no scores resulted. Radcliffe opened their first display with an offering that looked tempting indeed. "Kid" Harrison, the first up, drove a hit between short stop and second base for a safety but was forced at second when Clason, the next batter, drove one to Stanwood. Clason went around to third on a wild pitch and sacked in the first, last and only run on Rawson's sacrifice fly to Purington.

Mechanic Falls got a strong brace on in their second inning, gaining three scores and breaking one of the world's records. Percy Adams, the first slugger up, secured a hit just back of second base; found second on a wild pitched ball and scored when "Cy" Young left Carey's fly drop to the ground. Sly Carey took second on the play and brought home his gift on the break maneuver which followed. This was the program: Tilton was fanned but Lanan dropped the third strike so trying, so make the put out a first, heaved the sphere high over Gammon's head. Tilton continued to second, then to third and Rawson made a fungo and the runner beat it for home. Lanan was on the spot all right but the elusive ball leaped from his mitt and the sack-chaser was safe. Here we have a world's record made of a batter securing a home run on three strikes, making a hit and being safe on both exorable and raw errors. Wescott and Weston closed this score by each striking out, minus the home runs.

In the second for Radcliffe Jimmy Farnum was out from Stanwood to Carey. Lanan won a hit but was caught stealing second. Freddie LaFrance struck out.

In the third session both Purington and Wantke went out by the air line, but Stanwood laid out a clean single into the field yet died when Percy Adams put a grounder to Adams for his finish. Big Tim Gammon started the third for Radcliffe with a hit which looked safe enough but Stanwood gathered it in for a put out at first. "Cy" Young topped up on a batted first base that Carey muffed, but was caught as usual while sneaking to second. Harrison was the third out on a fly to Carey.

Mechanic Falls failed to score again in the fourth time up because "Uncle" Bill fanned Carey. Talcott went away on a foul caught by Lanan. Tilton drove one into right field for a safety; stole second; went to third when Lanan threw to Clason trying to hold the runner on the sack, but died when "Uncle" Bill pitched away a strike. Radcliffe commenced in their fourth to play the genuine thing at the bat. After Clason hit to Purington for an out and Rawson went also via Wescott, "Uncle" Bill pitched out a pretty single toward center field; Jimmy Farnum sent another hot one over in the left garden; Lanan landed a good one in the opposite corner toward right field so the bases were covered and Percy continued on page 2

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SEPTEMBER 3, 1909, NORWAY, MAINE.

Oxford Pomona Field Day.

The annual Field Day Meeting of Oxford County Pomona League was held on the Fair Grounds between Norway and South Paris Saturday. C. S. Hamlin, Master, was there early. Leslie McIntire was committee on grounds and Mrs. Lizzie Howe and A. E. Moore committee on entertainment.

At 11 o'clock the meeting was called to order on the grand stand, Master Hamlin introduced Rev. J. H. Little who spoke on "Patriotism, Citizenship and the Grange."

Music was furnished by the Mackertonquol Band.

At noon there was a picnic in the pine grove. The boxes and baskets were filled with goodies, and this was the merry time of the day.

The Twilight eating house was open for business and the speakers and members of the band ate these.

It was estimated that about eighteen hundred people were in attendance. Helen Howe of Norway gave a reading. C. S. Stetson, master of the Norway State Grange, outlined the purposes of these field meetings and the benefit which is derived from them. The order has done much for the rural people, whole families have been admitted within its doors, rural delivery service has been established through the efforts of its legislative committees, who have been supported by the individual members. Co-operation has been conceived in buying and selling to much advantage by those who have entered into it. Mr. Stetson spoke enthusiastically of the work to be done, urging Oxford patrons to help along.

Mrs. Rebecca Sheed of Crooked River grange then gave a reading.

Past National Lecturer, Mortimer Whitehead of New Jersey spoke of the order during its 45 years of growth that has now proven its right to live and prosper and hand in hand with it the education of the rural people has advanced. Until today the Grange has many able people. The days of the city man nibbling the brains and the farmer the muscle has gone by. Today the farmer is an educated man. Many things have been accomplished but more can be done.

The Norway and Paris base ball teams had a game 4 to 3 in favor of Norway.

The regular September meeting of Oxford County Pomona will be held at Bolster's Mills, Sept. 7.

A Meeting of the Oxford County Wholstein Breeders Association.

There was a meeting of the above association held at the home of Benjamin Tucker, Norway, last Wednesday. The subject for discussion was "How to start a pure bred herd." Some over fifty people attended the meeting and many others would have been there had the weather not been so threatening.

Hon. C. W. Wood of Worcester, President of the National Holstein Breeders Association of America, made the leading speech. Prof. P. A. Campbell, of the Maine University gave an interesting address also. Prof. K. W. Farnham, assistant dairy inspector of the agricultural department of Maine, C. L. Case of Paris, L. E. McElvire of Waterford, C. R. Millett of Minot, and Leon S. Merrill of Solon were also present and did some talking.

The barn was fixed up in good shape and settees were used and the meeting was held on the barn floor. The ladies accompanied the men and notwithstanding the rain, it was a very successful meeting.

BRING IN YOUR COPY FOR THE FAIR DAILY.

The rate for space is the same as in years past, one inch \$1 and 35¢ per inch thereafter. Three thousand copies will be given away on the Fair grounds after 3 o'clock, Wednesday, the big day.

In this you can tell the people what you have for sale after the Fair is over. It will be a benefit to your business for three months to come. Hand in your copy at once.

The Cattle Show.

Arrangements for the fair are being perfected each day. The electric lighting system is being installed and the ticket offices are being fixed up. The entries are beginning to come and everything looks fine for the best fair yet. The St. Cecilia boys' band of Lewiston has been engaged to again furnish music during the fair.

Oxford County Agricultural Fair.

The closing entries for neat stock, sheep, swine, poultry and all other entries close Tuesday, Sept. 14th, at 12 o'clock noon. Entries will be taken at the Grange Saturday, Sept. 11th and Monday, Sept. 13th.

Entries for races close Sept. 7th. Make your entries early as possible.

Mrs. A. J. Stearns and her mother, Mrs. W. J. Wheeler, and sister, Sue Wheeler, of South Paris are visiting relatives in Massachusetts.

The band saw at the upper mill broke apart the other day and went across the mill, causing a great deal of commotion, striking the side of a barn and moving a foot of Frank Eastman. Eastman said it was a close call, but missed. The damage to the saw was slight.

Rev. C. W. Wentworth, pastor of the Methodist church, has returned to Norway after successfully managing two camp meetings, one at Poland and one at Livermore. Mr. Wentworth feels that he will probably have no vacation this summer unless he steals away for a little while later on.

Walter E. Gordon of Sweden is visiting friends in town. Walter sold out his property here some months ago and moved back to the farm in the shadow of Black Mountain. He is the son of W. H. Gordon, our Sweden correspondent. Walter says his family is nicely excepting his little boy, who is having serious trouble with carbuncles.

Henry N. Brown of Northwest Norway and family are thinking of moving to Broken Bow, Nebraska. If things come around, as it now seems probable, he and his wife will go there this fall and his son and daughter will follow in the spring. Mr. Brown went there some few years ago and stopped one summer and liked the country.

Shank-Tibbets.

William F. Shank was married in Portland last Wednesday to Ida May Tibbets of that city. Those present from here were Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Shank of Norway, Robert Shank, sisters Lena, Lois and Anna Shank, also Mrs. Otto Schauer and Orey Wilder.

The wedding took place at high noon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elisha H. Tibbets on Franklin street.

The bride, who was gowned in white satin trimmed with battenburg silk embroidery and draped chiffon, was attended by Lena Shank, sister of the groom. She wore a veil caught with white sweet peas and carried a shower bouquet of white bride roses. An antique brooch, which has been in the family for many years, fastened the bridal veil. The maid of honor was gowned in pink silk and carried pink roses. Rev. M. J. Twomey of the First Baptist church performed the ceremony, the double ring service being used. The groom was attended by his brother, Robert Shank, of Norway.

After the ceremony a breakfast and reception were held, Maud Cleaves and Louise and Anne Shank serving. The dining room was decorated with pink sweet peas and the parlor with white asters.

Mr. and Mrs. Shank left in the afternoon for a short wedding journey to Errol, N. H., and Norway, after which they will be at home at Schoenectady, N. Y. Out of town guests beside those from Norway included Mrs. I. S. Wheeler of Skowhegan, Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Beckwith of Lynn, Mrs. Fred Jeffords of Norway, Richard Dietrich of Haverhill, Mass., Mrs. Charles Read of Reading, Mass.

McSwiney-Fuller.

Francis B. McSwiney and Nettie M. Fuller were married at noon on Wednesday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morrill M. Fuller on Danforth St. The house was beautifully decorated with flowers from Fred Cummings greenhouse.

The only parties present were the parents and aunt of the bride. At the stroke of 12 the wedding party entered the parlor. The couple were attended by the sister of the bride and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis J. Brooks, who were the bridesmaids. Doris Brooks bore the ring in the heart of a yellow chrysanthemum. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Merrill C. Ward.

The couple left in the afternoon for their wedding journey after which they will reside in Boston where Mr. McSwiney is manager in the provision store of George H. Ellis in the Y. M. C. A. building on Boylston St.

The bride is a graduate of the Norway High School. For ten years she has been a clerk and bookkeeper at C. F. Ridion's grocery store. She is a fine young lady and socially very popular.

Returned to Visit Home and Relatives.

Percy W. Judkins of Mt. Ballou, Cal., is visiting his parents after an absence of 21 years. His wife and two children are with him. Percy will be remembered at one time, as clerk in the clothing business with F. Q. Elliott who taught him the clothing business.

Mr. Elliott sold his stock of goods to one Smart of Lewiston and Judkins was retained as clerk.

Mr. Smart in a very short time became dissatisfied or homesick, and sold the business, or as some say gave it away, to his clerk, P. W. Judkins. Percy handled it for a year or two until he got the western fever and sold out to F. H. Noyes. The greater portion of his time has been spent in California. He has visited the state of Washington and one or two years in the Klondike region.

Jennie Mann is clerking in Thomas Smiley's.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schauer were at Round Pond, Sunday.

Etta Nevers has returned after her vacation to Smiley's dry goods store.

Mrs. Lester Robinson of East Sumner is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. O. Allen.

Charles Cutler, conductor on the street railway, is spending his vacation in Lowell.

Mrs. Mary Bennett and daughter, Grace, spent Sunday with relatives in Mechanic Falls.

Rev. E. C. Whitmore has returned from his vacation and services will be resumed at the Baptist church, Sunday.

There was an exodus of many people from the Lake Penesseewassee country, Monday forenoon, city bound.

John Prince, who works in the shoe factory, is confined to the house with typhoid fever.

Ross Lewis Bickford, Norway, was recently registered at the Kineo House, Moosehead lake. Mr. Bickford is selling Maine land to the summer visitors from the State and is doing a good business.

The large elm trees in front of C. B. Cummings & Sons' furniture store and office had the dead limbs removed, Monday. E. W. Dyer and crew are doing a deal of tree surgery along Main street of late.

The Dennis Pike Real Estate Agency has sold the L. A. Holmes stand on Fair St., to Mrs. Arvilla M. Swan. Also a parcel of land situated in South Paris, off Western Avenue from L. G. Buck's to E. M. Anderson.

Calvin H. Abbott, son of G. G. Abbott of Northwest Norway, is vacationing for a few days at the home of his father, a fine mill tract of 16 acres, four of them weighing 16 pounds and 12 of them weighing 24 pounds, total weight 49 pounds. Whether they were caught by fly, bait casting, plugging, or imagination, we cannot say, yet it was told to us to be a fact and was only a little surprised at the size of the fish.

Deep Sea Fishing.

The trip taken by the hardy fishermen last Saturday was replete with enjoyment. The trip on the water was made in the Fannie Bell, G. E. Wilson, captain; J. H. Simpson, crew; V. G. Purington cook. The dinner served was all right and the fishing too, if all sea yards are to be credited. There was not a large company in all fifteen:

R. D. Gould, Norway.
Mrs. Mary Cleveland, "
Rachel Bennett, "
H. S. Cleveland, "
Oscar Cleveland, "
Will Barrett, "
Wallace Stone, "
Simon Grover, "
Alton E. Grover, "
Ally Grover, "
John Burns, "
Manley Brett, Otisfield.
Chas. B. Grover, "
C. H. Linnell, "
Sanford Annis, "

R. D. Gould won highest honors in catching a fish that weighed 19½ pounds. Mrs. Cleveland came next with one that weighed 16 pounds. Am sorry to say that several big(?) fish were hooked but not landed. All aver that they shall go again as a great deal of fun is had for a little money.

Mexican Leopard Crazed.

Linwood Flint, owner of the Flint Porcupine Farm at Waterford was in town last Saturday making the necessary arrangements for his Jungle show which will occupy considerable space on the fair grounds during the big Oxford County annual. Manager Flint has just returned from the Cornish fair, where his exhibit of curious animals made good and the others safely housed again at the farm. While at Cornish Mr. Flint had the misfortune to receive a bad clawing from the Mexican leopard but escaped after a struggle with one hand badly scratched. The animal western hunter told Mr. Flint the animal's attack was due to the intense heat the leopard being undoubtedly crazed for the moment.

Needham Surprise Party.

Asa F. Needham and wife of Noble's Corner were treated to a surprise party Wednesday evening, August 25th, at Cole's Hall. It had been nicely arranged and not an inkling of it came to them until they were called from their home in the evening and escorted to the hall.

Eighty or more friends had gathered there and a sociable evening was spent with games, dancing and music. The daughter, Hazel N. Needham, was the guiding support of the entertainment. Roy White and others furnished music. Ice cream and cake were served to all.

So that Mr. Needham need not forget, his friends presented him with money and other things, as well as a nice parlor lamp.

I. P. Cobb is on the sick list.

Harry Downing will run his boats, the Sunbeam and Zanita on Lake Penesseewassee on regular trips this week. The season closes with this week.

Mrs. Eugene Lebrock and son have returned from New Scotland, where they have been visiting. She reports her mother's health is not materially improved.

The frost Monday night did much damage to gardens in many sections of the county. It is said that the damage to sweet corn is not as severe as was at first feared.

Mrs. C. H. Haskell and granddaughter, Sara Danforth, have gone to The Weirs, N. H., for a week. They were met in Portland by Charles Danforth who accompanied them.

W. F. Senter of Brunswick, owner of the Abbott Block, has been in town. He has been suffering with nervous prostration for some time past, but is now greatly improved.

Benab Kneeland, daughter of Calvin Kneeland of Alpine street, is visiting her grandfather, Mr. Pratt, at Waterville. She will return home in season to attend the Cattle Fair here.

Olis Libby is spending three or four weeks with his sister, Mrs. Elmer Butler of Medford, Mass. Mrs. Butler has just undergone a serious operation at Cushing hospital but is improving rapidly.

The good dog "Spot," a pointer, 13 years old owned by A. L. Cook, has gone to his "happy hunting ground." Probably no dog of his age has had more sorrow shot over it than he in the past ten years.

Mrs. R. L. Powers and daughter Lillian are visiting relatives in Massachusetts and will go to Boston to buy new millinery before their return. Mrs. Hills is in charge of the store during her absence.

Mrs. L. P. Swett of Bangor was running her automobile here Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Swett came from Bangor to South Paris in a high-powered Overland in less than six hours. Mr. Swett sells automobiles.

O. L. Stone and family are spending the week in Bethel at Mrs. Stone's father, G. P. Abbott's. Mr. Stone expects to take an automobile trip through Newry, Upton and Lakeside to Errol, N. H., with C. H. Davis.

Mrs. Dora Tower moved to Portland, Wednesday. Her son Karl has a studio and teaches music in Portland, and the younger son, Walter, who has been attending school at Hebron, will attend the Portland schools.

Herbert E. York will sell at auction at the Milton Merriam farm at North Norway, Friday, Sept. 10, at 1 o'clock, p. m., stock, horse, farming tools, wagns, sleds and household goods of one King George A. Cole, auctioneer.

The builders of the Norway Grange hall are giving a dance in the building this Friday evening. Music will be furnished by Melbie Dunham and orchestra and a good time is expected. Messrs. Dinsmore and Russell are managers.

Amos Doe and wife and niece, Ruth T., of Boston have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John A. Woodman of the Beal's Hotel. Mr. Doe used to live in Maine and they became friends when Mr. Woodman was running a hotel in that city.

Marion Adams of Portland, was a guest at Chas. H. Adams' last Sunday. Miss Adams is a graduate from Gray's Business College in shorthand and typewriting and holds an excellent position in the branch office of the Monarch Typewriter Co.

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SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

A cordial invitation is extended to strangers who belong to any of these organizations to visit meetings when in town.

OXFORD LODGE, F. & A. M. No. 15, meets in Masonic Hall, Friday evening, on or before full moon. George L. Curtis, W. M.; Howard D. Smith, Secretary.

OXFORD LODGE, A. O. U. W. No. 29, meets in Masonic Hall, Wednesday evening, on or before full moon. C. E. McCardie, H. P.; Geo. E. Tibbs, Secretary.

OXFORD LODGE, No. 14, R. & S. M., meets in Masonic Hall, Friday evening, after the full moon. John C. Shepard, T. I. M. Chas. F. Barnes, Recorder.

OXFORD LODGE, No. 1, Ark Mariners, meets in Masonic Hall, Wednesday after the full moon. Edwin Richardson, Wm. Pat. Merton L. Kimball, Secretary.

NORWAY LODGE, No. 15, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall every Tuesday evening. Luther Fred Pike, N. G.; Merton L. Kimball, Sec'y.

WILDEY EXAMINERS, No. 21, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall the second and fourth Friday evenings of each month. Clarence W. Webber, C. P.; Merton L. Kimball, Sec'y.

MR. HOPE FREEMAN LODGE, No. 58, I. O. O. F., meets in Old Fellows' Hall the first and third Friday evenings of each month. Fred E. Evans, N. G.; Eva M. Kimball, Sec'y.

FRANKLIN LODGE, No. 15, K. of P., meets in their hall, Hathaway Block, every Thursday evening. Harrington S. Mann, C. C.; W. A. Lewis, E. G. & S.

LAKE TEMPLE, No. 45, P. S., meets in Pythian Hall the second and fourth Friday evenings of each month. Marjane Richardson, M. E. G.; Abbie Heath, M. R. C.

HARVEY REST POST, No. 54, G. E. O. P., meets at G. E. Hall the first and third Wednesday evenings of each month. Mrs. Rita M. Buck, Warden; Ada L. Libby, Secretary.

NORWAY CAMP, No. 10,551 M. W. of A., meets at Ryerson Hall, every Wednesday evening. Nathan Thompson, Consul; F. E. DeCoster, Clerk.

NORWAY ANCHOR LODGE, No. 32, I. O. G. T., meets in Golden Eagle Hall Monday evenings of each month from June to October, and every Monday evening until the following June. D. L. Jordan, W. M.; Fred Allen, C. P.; Willis Flint, Secretary.

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Somebody's Mother.

The woman was old, and ragged and gray and bent with the chill of a winter's day. She stood at the crossing and waited long. And the woman's feet were aged and slow. She stood at the crossing and waited long. And the woman's feet were aged and slow. She stood at the crossing and waited long. And the woman's feet were aged and slow.

Down the street, with laughter and shout, Came the boys like a flock of sheep. Glad in the frolic and play that kept. Past the old woman so old and gray. Hastened the youngsters on their way. No offered a helping hand to her. No wakened a slumbering thought. The fastest laddie of all the group. Who passed beside her and whispered low, "I'll help you across if you wish to go."

She lifted her tired eyes to meet The pitying glance of his brown eyes sweet. And the boy's hand was on her arm. She placed, and so without hurt or harm, He guided the trembling feet along. With the steady step of a man so strong. Then back again to his mates he went. His young heart happy and well content. This remedy has always given me the prompt relief and has rid my system of uric poison. Other members of my family have also used Doan's Kidney Pills with excellent results. I hope every person in Norway suffering from kidney trouble will procure this remedy from Stone's Drug Store and give it a trial." 53 36

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Fall Hat Prophecies.

Small and Large Shapes to Be Worn: "No Extremes."

If any woman wants to know what the fall fashions in hats are going to be, let her study the midsummer models. There she will get about all the knowledge available at present. These things are put out as feelers to test the fashionable taste, and from them will be born the fashions of the winter.

From the contemplation of these styles different people arrive at different conclusions, says the Millinery Trade Review. Some are convinced that smaller hats are going to prevail, while others are equally sure of the contrary. The former have been attracted by the exceptions, quaint bonnets fitting close to the head, or the smart little new toques, while the latter have been impressed by the broad brimmed hats, which considered to be the most conservative of the season. The event will probably prove that both are partly right and partly wrong. Both large hats and small hats and hats that are neither very large nor very small will be worn.

Both large brims and large crowns are expected, and the brims show a tendency to turn abruptly up at one side and droop in an equally marked manner at the other. The brims will also be shorter, and the hair dressing, the "extinguisher" variety of brim seems to have been seized by the day, and is no longer patronized, observers say, by the best dressers. A conspicuous fashion of the moment which might easily be continued into the fall is the wearing of a gown, by the hat, the shape being stretched over with the same material. Hats are covered with shantung, linen, foulard, to be worn with dresses of the same material and pattern, and sometimes they are even braided or beaded. There is a craze in Paris for black velvet flowers—poppies, tulips and gigantic ears of barley, while immense rosettes are made of black velvet. All this probably foreshadows a still greater vogue of velvet in the coming season.

Plumage is much in evidence on the midsummer millinery, and is certain to continue in fashion. Plumage of every description will be worn, with wings, aigrettes and all sizes of made-up feather decorations.

SUMMER.

The Boston Post Case.

A fine gold headed ebony stick to be always carried by the oldest citizen of this town.

The Boston Post has forwarded to the chairman of the Board of Selectmen a gold headed ebony cane, with the request that it be presented with the compliments of the Boston Post to the oldest citizen of the town of Summer.

The idea is that this cane shall always be held by the oldest citizen of this town. In case of the decease of the first holder of the cane, it is to be transmitted to the then oldest citizen of the town, and so on.

The cane is a splendid specimen of such manufacture. It is made by J. P. Bradley & Co. of New York, who are widely recognized as the leading manufacturers of fine canes. The materials used in the Boston Post cane are the best obtainable. The sticks are Gaboon ebony from the Congo Africa.

They are shipped to this country in logs, about seven feet long, and then cut into stick lengths. They are allowed to dry six months, so they will be thoroughly seasoned. After this they are carefully examined, and all cracked, warped or otherwise imperfect sticks are discarded. The perfect ones are then turned to the desired sizes on the lathe, and allowed about three months for further drying. They are given the exact shape of the finished cane, the exact of shellac and rubbed down with pumice coated with the finest quality of French varnish and then polished by hand with very fine pumice and oil. It takes about a year from the time the ebony logs are cut to produce a perfect stick.

The gold in the head of the Post canes is of 14 karat fineness. It is rolled into sheets, cut to the desired size and soldered to a conical tube, then placed in a sectional steel chuck or form, which admits of its being drawn into the exact shape of the finished head. The tops are first cut into discs, and then soldered to the cane after it has been shaped. They are then filled with a hard composition and "chased" or ornamented by hand after which the competition in filling is removed and they are sent to the polishing room for final finishing. The Boston Post cane is not merely an ornamental cane. It is designed for every day usage and will last for many years.

A very pleasing presentation party was given in honor of Harrison Bonney, the oldest citizen of Summer, aged 94 years and 9 months, by his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. Fred Bonney, at their home in Summer, Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 18, the occasion being the presentation of a gold headed cane, donated by the Boston Post to the oldest citizen in town. The presentation was made in behalf of the Post by George D. Grose one of the Selectmen of Summer. A few appropriate and well chosen remarks were accepted by a fervent and feeling "Thank you" by Mr. Bonney.

After the presentation, a short poem written for the occasion was read by a guest, followed by refreshments of ice cream and fancy cakes, served by Mrs. Bonney and Mrs. Abbie Torrey, after which a season of sociability was enjoyed.

The house was tastefully decorated with golden rods, and a large number of flowers. There were present—Mr. and Mrs. W. Fred Bonney, Harry Bonney, a grandson, and wife of Portland; Mrs. Abbie Torrey, a daughter of Montello, (Brookton) Mass.; Mrs. Lydia Varney, an only sister, aged 73, of Summer; Mr. and Mrs. N. Moulton Varney, Lester Varney, Mr. and Mrs. George Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Bonney, of Summer, Mr. and Mrs. C. Cushing Ford and Mr. and Mrs. George Clark of West Sumner, Mr. and Mrs. T. Brock, of Stetson of Hartford, nephews and nieces; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Grose of Summer, Mrs. Eunice E. Howard of Brookville, (Holbrook) Mass., and Mr. Bonney.

Lines were read for the occasion by Mr. and Mrs. Bonney.

The oldest man in Summer, Maine, has been presented with a very nice cane of ebony wood, acted upon and cut by the Boston Post. We are told, to Mr. Harrison Bonney, aged ninety-five, the oldest man in the town.

Electman Grose made the presentation in the presence of several near relations. An honor party was held at the home of his son to which were invited just thirty-one. Among the names who were present were: With other relation not so near.

At Mr. Bonney's death the cane will be given to the oldest man in town still living. Many thanks are tendered by the host, to the publishers of the Boston Post.

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The Black Fox.

In the estimation of trappers of the Canadian Northland, as well as in the eyes of the nobility of Russia, there is only one king of beasts—the highly prized black fox, writes the Edmonton correspondent of the Toronto Globe.

On an average five perfect pelts of this rare fur bearers are brought down from the Northland each year, and in the Northland as many as ten or twelve, though each year thousands of men make a living trapping and the yearly catch of fox skins amounts to over 300,000 from Canada alone.

In no way except in color does the black fox differ from the red fox, whose pelt sells for about \$2.00, or from the gray fox, whose winter coat is valued from \$150 to \$400; but whenever a hunter can secure a black fox and remove its skin without marring the fur he is sure of receiving from \$800 to \$1,500 for his trophy.

Not only is every black fox pelt bought as soon as taken, but a dozen Russian noblemen have paid agents traveling in North America all through the winter seeking out remote hillside farms and abandoned logging camps where it is possible that a shy and elusive black fox may have been seen.

Within the last twenty years a number of wealthy men, who have owned fenced game preserves, have spent vast sums of money in buying young foxes alive and turning them loose within private enclosures. By and by it may be that some skilled or fortunate breeder will produce a black pelt or perhaps a pair of black foxes may be captured alive and from these a new breed of black foxes will raise and cause a great panic among the men who hunt for black foxes.

He who can wrest the secret of breeding black foxes from nature is assured of riches past counting and can command the worshipful homage of the Russian nobility and aristocracy who seem willing to sacrifice untold wealth for the pleasure of wearing overcoats made from the pelts of American black foxes.

GILEAD.

School opened Monday, Aug. 30. Elva Kendall of Bethel teacher.

The Grand Trunk has a large number of men in this vicinity putting down new rails.

Ephraim Wight of Reading, Mass., and Mrs. Wesley Wight of Gorham visited relatives in town.

Mrs. Josephine Wheeler went to West Paris, Sunday, to visit her son, S. L. Wheeler and family.

Mrs. I. H. Estes and daughter Nina returned to their home in Lewiston, having spent two weeks with T. G. Lary and family.

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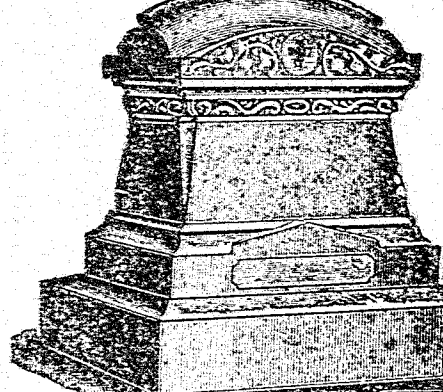
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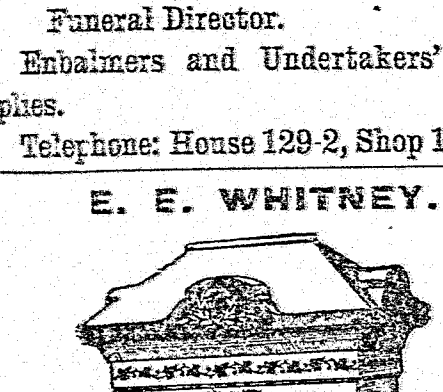
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NORTH BETHEL.

A Mrs. Wakefield is stopping at Mrs. Addie Moore's.

Grace Allen is visiting at her mother's, Mrs. Addie Moore.

Gertie Demeritt is head cook at the Lake Summer Cottage.

Del Stearns is cutting cord wood for Bion Swan on his farm in Newry.

O. Powers and wife of Caribou visited relatives and friends several days here.

Mrs. Celia Parker has been sick with rheumatism. Mrs. Melissa Littlehale cared for her.

Bion Swan is building and addition to his father's woodshed, has also finished off a chamber for him.

J. C. Swan has a fine looking orchard and has kept it free from insect pests, he has a variety of fine fruit.

C. D. Atherton and granddaughter were recent guests of Mrs. Atherton's sister, Mrs. Lizette Hastings.

Mrs. A. E. K. Grover of Norway spent a day with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Swan recently. Mrs. Bion Swan was also a guest there.

Holman F. Day has had one of his novels dramatized by Eugene Presbury of New York under the caption "The Circus Man."



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PROBATE NOTICES.

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Rumford, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand, nine hundred and nine. The following matter having been presented for the action, thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three times successively in the NORWAY ADVERTISER, a newspaper published at Norway, in said county, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris on the third Tuesday of September, A. D. 1909, at 3 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause:

LOUISA M. MORTON, formerly LOUISA M. CHARLES, late of Lovell, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof presented by Wallace K. Charles, the executor therein named.

SAMUEL L. HATCH, late of Lovell, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof presented by Ernest S. Hatch, the executor therein named.

RICHARD F. SCHAEFER, late of Norway, deceased; petition that George L. Curtis or some other suitable person be appointed as administrator of the estate of said deceased, presented by James F. Bolster, a creditor.

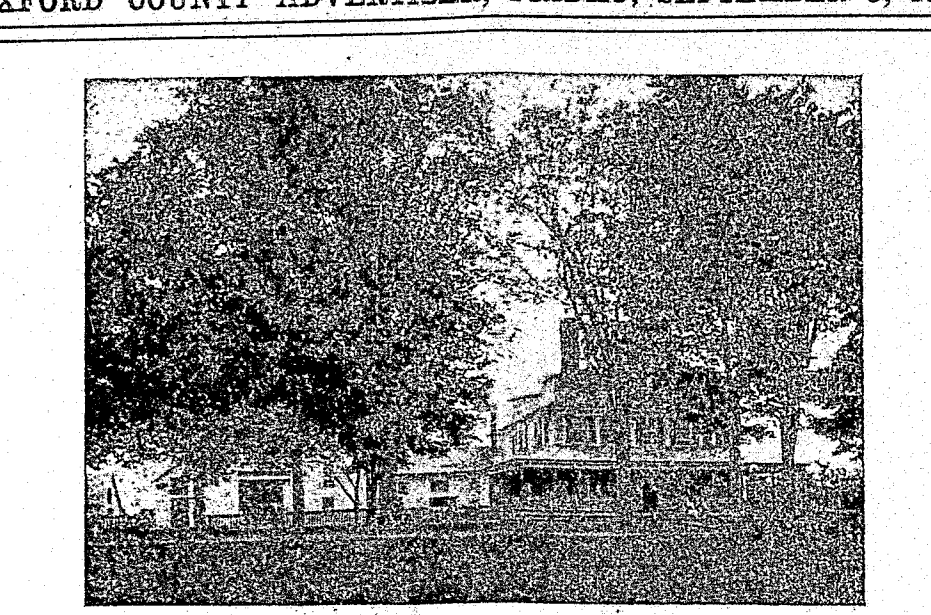
ADDISON E. HERRICK, Judge of said Court. A true copy—attest: 35-27 ALBERT D. PARK, Register.

NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed executrix of the last will and testament of 35-27 CHARLES W. PALMER, late of Norway, in the County of Oxford, deceased. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately. Aug. 17, 1909. LILLA BELLE PALMER.

NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of 35-27 ELIZA A. GREENLAW, late of Fryeburg, in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately. Aug. 17, 1909. THOMAS W. CHARLES.



THE BIRTHPLACE OF HANNIBAL HAMLIN.

Hannibal Hamlin. Abraham Lincoln was born in Kentucky, Feb. 12, 1809. Last year the centenary of his birth was observed. Hannibal Hamlin, his great associate on the presidential ticket of 1860 and vice president of the United States during the Civil War, was born one year later than Lincoln at Paris, Me., Aug. 27, 1809. Friday, at the place of his birth exercises were held in commemoration of the event by the unveiling of a monumental tablet at the Hamlin homestead, with addresses by distinguished citizens. The program was in every way worthy of the occasion. In the first place, the monument is unique and appropriate—a huge granite boulder in its natural state, planted on the ground where the war vice president first saw the light and faced with the inscription that tells the story in a succinct, dignified and complete manner:

Hannibal Hamlin. Born Near The Spot, Aug. 27, 1809. Speaker Maine House of Representatives. Member of Both Branches of Congress. Governor of Maine. Vice President of the United States. Minister to Spain. Friend of the Emancipation of Lincoln. Honoring the Man, the Patriot and the Statesman. And His Companions of the Maine Commandery, Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States. Place This Memorial Aug. 27, 1909.

The monument is fitting because it symbolizes the character of the man—simple, rugged, firm—and the inscription has not a superfluous word and leaves nothing unsaid that should be said.

The boulder is on the common directly in front of the old Hamlin house. It was unveiled by two members of the Hamlin family, Louise M. Hamlin, a granddaughter of Hannibal Hamlin, and Julia Carter, a great-granddaughter of Hannibal Hamlin. Miss Carter and her mother, Mrs. Mary E. Carter, are the only descendants of Hannibal Hamlin who now reside in this place and it was eminently fitting that she should be selected to unveil the monument. The Tugus band then struck up The Star Spangled Banner and a great cheer went up from the assembled thousands.

The exercises were held on the lawn in front of the Baptist Church. Seats were placed in front of the speakers stand that was tastefully decorated with the natural colors, and begun at 2:30. Gen. Joshua L. Chamberlain presided. The exercises were held under the auspices of the Maine Commandery of the Loyal Legion. The Loyal Legion and the United States Military Band from the National Soldiers Home at Togus arrived on the morning train. The meeting was called to order by Rev. Admiral H. W. Lyon of the United States Navy, a resident of Paris Hill who gracefully introduced the permanent chairman and the old hero of Little Round Top who was received with much applause.

The unveiling of the bronze tablet on the boulder was presided by Sen. Fred. H. Brown, Hon. Eugene Hale, Hon. John D. Long and Hon. Charles S. Hamlin of Boston; also a poem, entitled "Our Boulder," by Rev. Dr. Henry P. Forbes of St. Lawrence University, Canton, N. Y.

Latter was received from President Taft and Vice President Sherman, regretting they could not be present.

In part Gov. Fernald said:—Hannibal Hamlin's grandfather became an officer in the Revolutionary army and an officer in the service of the General Court of Massachusetts gave him and his sons grants of land in the District of Maine. Major Hamlin visited this land and wrote back to the General Court that he did not highly esteem the gift; indeed, he advised the General Court of Maine to give the land back to its original owners—the bears. This may have been the origin of the title of this domain of the so-called Oxford bears. At any rate, the Oxford bears got one of the choicest slices of the territory of Maine and to their credit they have tremendously improved both the quality of the land and the stock of bears since that time.

Hon. John D. Long, former Secretary of the Navy and a native of the Town of Buckfield, spoke of the characteristics of Hannibal Hamlin and said that they

were derived from his native state. The speaker brought out the fact that Hamlin made no false estimate of the strength of the Rebellion and urged with all his power that adequate preparations be made.

Senator Eugene Hale emphasized that the underlying fundamental ground rock of Hamlin's character was absolute sincerity and truthfulness. That he was never on two sides of any question and when he took a stand his course was never doubted.

Charles S. Hamlin of Boston, Hannibal Hamlin's second cousin, spoke of Hamlin's good common sense among his other strong characteristics. Speaking of Hamlin's political life the speaker said that Hannibal Hamlin was a man who firmly believed in the doctrine of States Rights and that he never departed from the fundamental ideas of that doctrine although he left the party which stood for them.

Many of the buildings on the Hill were handsomely decorated with the National colors. The Hamlin house and the Hamlin Public Library were visited by most of those who attended the celebration.

Poem written and delivered by Rev. Henry P. Forbes.

Our Boulder. Gray boulder, rent in dawn of time from far Laurentian crag, The ice-king's clasp, his glacier grasp, held thee while centuries pass, Long, long the slumber with thee the cliffs ploughed deep the river's bed; With Titan toil grew deep the soil whence comes our daily bread. The beauty of the day is thine, the grace of hill and glen; This shapely mound, under thy hand, becomes a home for men. And sloughs and swamps were shaped. In all that age long stress and storm, The Artist here wrought, line by line, the toil is done. Thy rest is won. Here, on this noble dome, On which the hills gaze afar, forever be thy home. The hungry sea shall cease the cliffs along; The waves shall cease to roar; Naught shall molest thy perfect rest. Here sleep thou evermore! Fit symbol thou, boulder gray, toll-rounded yet unrent, Of that great life, in fruit so ripe, God's chosen instrument. To plane the rocky crags of ancient wrong and turmoil past, Shape a new land, where men shall stand, comrades of every race. Granite life of texture firm; the toilful years Bespoke his dower of shrewd power. No dross was in that ore. No dross, no pompous musing at the fœd of breast of wealth; Like Norseman's oak he braved the cold, a rugged oak of life. Oh seamless life! Unrent, unshattered by the blast of sin; That granite will withstand life's ill. No lure For him who would not yield, no gain, no tainted No greed, no gain of ill-got gain, give thanks ye sons of Maine! Kathadin of our statesmen he; heaven's airs about him blew; Aloft o'er mists of shimmering-mirks his powers to greatness grew. The heart is at level all men's good; the reason strong; the logic strong, the statecraft that can guide. When starry power brought crisis hour, thou seen the nation calls. To lead the fray, to breast the day when fear was law, to lead the fray. From slow Sagamon's silent stream the sad-browed martyr strides, Our warrior light, leads to the fight from clear Penobscot's tides. For four long years, four crimson years, ere Slavery sank and died, Of soul akin, in valor twin, they battled side by side. For one the martyr's wreath. But noble life is grand as death. Long life one gave, the land to save. In both the deed was great. At man's birth he came to earth, to make her zones his home. In Orient climes he victoriously won; a new world then to free. With Pilgrim park, mid dangers dark, gull-chasers to give the land back to its original owners—the bears. Since Freedom came, with soul aflame, unto a babe new-born in cradle sleep. Its horoscope he read. That young life sealed his sword to wield, when gleam the war fires dread. Oh, giant Freedom, come again! The slave-stained years have fled; When sinks the day, this boulder gray be pillow for thy head. Dream ladder-dreams; arise, and pray, and consecrate this soil, For glorious sons who seek high goals, a Bethel house of God.

EAST HIRAM.

Floyd Burrell and wife went to East Sebago Tuesday, by way of Harrison and Sebago Lake.

E. K. Hanson and wife are entertaining their son, Charles, of Boston and daughter, Evie Hanson, of Gorham.

Mrs. Anzi D. Sanborn and children of Sabattus are guests of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Burrell.

Charles L. Wilson is spending the week with Walter H. Burrell and wife and Abbie Smith in a cottage at Lovell's pond, Fryeburg.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Burrell were in Baldwin, Monday, calling on R. A. Burrell and family, and Mrs. Abbie Sanborn and daughter, Sarah Sanborn.

Funeral services for Mrs. Ruth Flye were held at her late home Friday, Aug. 20th. Rev. Cyrus Purinton attending. On account of heavy shower burial was postponed to Saturday morning.

Rev. Benjamin L. Fish of Armidors, Pa., is expected to preach at the M. E. church next Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock. He is spending his vacation with his family, in Mrs. Jennie Lane's cottage, at Barker Pond.

Prof. Moody Returns to Bridgton.

Prof. John F. Moody, late of Edward Little High school, has accepted his election to the principalship of Bridgton Academy and will assume charge with the opening of the fall term, Sept. 14th.

It was during Mr. Moody's former management that this academy reached the highest registration in its history, and the friends of the school are elated over his return.

Herbs the Cure for Human Ills.

Harry A. Smith of Litchfield, who never had a day's sickness in his long life, says the doctors don't know their business or they would cure the sick quicker and cheaper and with less pain. Herbs and herbs will cure anything according to Mr. Smith, who is the champion backwoods astronomer, philosopher and medicine man of Maine. Says he:

"I have always taken a deep interest in the medical art and for more than 40 years have read every book that I could get hold of on the subject. Then I have allowed my common sense to work a bit, with the result that I have discarded many of the tenets taught by that profession.

"I well remember of seeing two healthy girls die with quick consumption in rapid succession and that was what set me to thinking and observing. In a short time I became convinced that there was no need of dying with such a disease unless they wanted to do so.

"Then I went down to Augusta and shortly afterwards a watchman in the mill had his hand badly cut and torn with a buzz saw. No less than five doctors were summoned to attend to the injured man and they had hard work to hold him, so terrible was the pain.

"In a few moments a young student came into the room and saw the situation. He ran back and getting a shovel full of hot coals brought them into the room and sprinkled some brown sugar on them. As soon as the injured man breathed the steam he became quiet and allowed his hand to be dressed. Now, wouldn't the doctors know that?"

"If a man breaks his arm the doctors torture him in setting it by pulling the bones together with a rope. The thing can be done with the thumb and finger and cause no pain. Why don't they do it? You ask me how this can be done? Well, all that is necessary is to swathe the arm with bandages wet with warm water before setting the bone. This allows all the muscles to become pliable and the bone slips easily into place. The usual method of setting the bone all they can as that makes the charge of a big fee seem more reasonable.

"Many people think that they are sick when in reality not a thing ails them. These are the cases that pay the doctors to enlighten the patient to any great extent. Mineral medicines are bad and not one of them ever did any good to a sick person.

"The Indians really know more about the common sense treatment of disease than the medical profession to-day. An abscess, or sore, or anything of that nature can be relieved of all pain almost instantly by applying a lobelia poultice. This is what the Indians did and they lost no patients. If lobelia cannot be had then use a tobacco poultice. It will relieve and cure every time.

"Again, take the case of cholera infantum. It is a very common and a very fatal disease as treated by the medical profession to-day. If the patient could be properly treated the disease could be cured in six hours. How? Well, I will tell you. Take some blackberry root and chop it fine. Put it into an ordinary horse radish bottle and fill with cognac brandy. Give the patient from ten to fifteen drops every hour and the disease will soon vanish.

"The great majority of organic diseases come from a deranged liver. Mineral medicines do no good but roots and herbs cure promptly every time. Oh, yes, we should all live close to nature and not doctor so much with drugs."

Importance of Pure Air.

The open air cure for tuberculosis has attracted very widespread attention and discussion. It would be a mistake, however, to suppose that an abundance of pure air is of value only in combatting the ravages of the white plague. To be sure, wonderful and gratifying results have been attained by the "open air" treatment, but they are due to the fact that such treatment is a general builder up of health, rather than a specific for the cure of any special disease.

The woman who lets her children suffer from poor ventilation because she is afraid of draughts can never quite satisfy herself why they should be so "delicate" and "pindling" but the reason is not difficult to find.

Hundreds of children are condemned by well-meant but over-cautious mothers to fairly suffer for the fresh, pure air that is essential to their physical well being. It is one of the most common and pathetic forms of starvation.

By all means put up the windows. Fresh air is rarely the cause of colds, but foul air is always a prolific source of them. See to it under all circumstances that the growing child has an abundance of fresh, pure air. It is important enough for adults; but for those who are still growing it is indispensable, if physical health is to be maintained.

Have You a Coat-of-Arms?

Have you a coat-of-arms? Perhaps you have never given thought to the matter, and do not know whether you have any right to heraldic display. It is necessary, of course, to trace the family pedigree and ascertain whether any ancestor has been given the right to bear arms. Many people in all parts of the world, who to-day may be in quite humble circumstances, can claim genealogical kinship with great families.

If your right to a coat-of-arms is established, you have every right to have it put into practice. Some idea of the popularity of arms-bearing may be gathered from the fact that every year more than \$35,000 is derived by the English government from this source.

In the thirteenth century it was the custom for the bearer of heraldic honors to have the charges embroidered upon his coat. Hence the term coat-of-arms, says an exchange.

An old family Bible affords an excellent means of tracing back one's genealogy, especially where particulars and dates are given in the fly-leaves; and what can be more interesting than this rummaging into the secrets of past lives?

What Good Roads Do.

Good roads increase very materially the value of the farm they serve. They lessen the time between farm and town, and in effect set the farm miles nearer its trading centre. They serve as an index to the character of the neighborhood through which they run.

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LOVELL.

Eben W. Dresser.

Eben W. Dresser died after an illness of seven months at his home in Lewiston, Aug. 27th.

Mr. Dresser was the son of Joseph B. and Harriet Charles Dresser and was born in Lovell, 64 years ago. He was educated in the common schools of that town.

When 21 years old he left Lovell and after a few years settled in Lovell, Mass. In 1868 and entered into the grocery business. In Lovell, in 1873, he was married to Elizabeth F. Brown. They resided in that city, where he was successful in business, until 1878, when they went to Lewiston. Mr. Dresser was one of the leading grocers until his retirement from business.

Beside the widow and daughter, Mrs. Edward F. Wellman, Mr. Dresser leaves two sisters, Mrs. J. B. Kimball of Lovell and Mrs. Pierce Nagle of Los Angeles, Cal., and two brothers, C. W. Dresser of Helena, Montana, and J. B. Dresser of Woodford.

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FRYBURG.

Mrs. C. D. Barrows has been at Mrs. G. S. Barrows.

Dr. Chandler Walker has been visiting his uncle, T. L. Eastman.

W. O. Brown's new house is progressing rapidly toward completion.

Hon. Albion Perry spoke at the Congregational church here, Sunday morning.

Charlotte Hodsdon has returned from a visit of several weeks with friends in Orono.

Rev. E. P. Wilson has been visiting his sister in Jefferson. Before returning home he attended the celebration of the 125th anniversary of the organization of the Congregational church in Bridgton, where he had a part in the program. He was a former pastor in that church.

The annual fair of the Congregational society was a very successful one. There was a large display of fancy articles presided over by Clara Page, Marion and Annie Wilson, Mrs. Longee, Rachel Weston and Mrs. Mabel Anderson. The kitchen table was in charge of Mrs. S. A. Page and Mrs. Blanche Page. The committee in charge of the white apron table was Mrs. Fife and Mrs. Fife. The candy was sold by Edna Eastman and Charlotte Pike, and Josie Adams sold popcorn. In the dining room a corps of efficient women served supper to a large number of people. The tables and waitresses were under the supervision of Carrie Johnson and Mrs. Walter Burnell. Anna Barrows, who came home from Chautauque, N. Y., the day before, rendered assistance at the salad business.

BETHEL.

Gilbert W. Tuell, who is employed in St. Louis, is at his home in Bethel to spend a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Kate Hill Hubbard of Springfield, Mass., passed away at her home Aug. 11. She was well known in Bethel where she had many friends.

James Smith passed away at his home on Mason street, Aug. 10, after a long illness. Mr. Smith had an attack of pneumonia in the winter which developed into tuberculosis. Funeral services were held at his late home Friday afternoon, Rev. W. C. Curtis officiating. The interment was at the Riverside cemetery.

Maine Musical Festival.

The three great prima donnas announced for the Maine Music Festival include Geraldine Farrar, Mme. Jeanne Jonelli, Madame Frieda Langendorff. The chorus will number 600 voices and grand New York Orchestra. Mrs. Jessie Nash Stover, Messrs. Gunster and Werrenrath are also engaged as special soloists. Local talent assisting will include Martha B. Howe, contralto, and Frederick Kennedy, tenor. The following is the bulletin of events:

First night—Excerpts from four great "Elgar" works, Reinald Werrenrath, soloist, only appearance of Mme. Jonelli, chorus and orchestra.

Second night—Song of Promise by J. K. Faine, Mrs. Jessie Nash-Stover, soloist, only appearance of Mme. Langendorff, chorus and orchestra.

Third night—Parsifal, finale act 1, Wagner, Messrs. Gunster and Werrenrath, soloists, only appearance of Geraldine Farrar, chorus and orchestra.

First matinee—Orchestral program, Messrs. Liszt, Wagner, Elgar and Strauss; Messrs. Gunster and Werrenrath, soloists.

Second matinee—Mendelssohn centenary celebration, Hymn of Praise, Mrs. Stover, Miss Hawes and Kennedy, soloists, chorus and orchestra.

When Flashy Dressing Is a Drawback.

One of the curses of city life is the unwillingness of young men to marry and assume the responsibility of obligations of a family. The consequent absence of the refining, elevating influence of home and family upon the character of both men and women is most disastrous. They live unnatural and unbalanced lives and often become abnormally selfish because they are completely absorbed in getting the most they can for themselves, and consequently think very little about others.

Many girls seem to think that their chances of marrying men who can support them in luxury are much enhanced by extravagant dressing. This is a great delusion, for men usually see through them. Girls who dress beyond their means, as a rule, fail to attract, permanently, the wealthy men whom they would like to marry, and often frighten away the young men of small means who would be drawn to them by their good qualities of mind and heart, which their foolish clothing and hollow pretense serve only to conceal.

Young men who are determined to make something of themselves will think a great many times before they marry a young woman with extravagant notions, for they know that a young man has contracted a taste for luxuries and formed the habit of living beyond her income, she is rarely content with what a man in moderate circumstances can afford to give her.

The Rural Mail Carrier.

Rural prosperity has its shadow as well as its sunshine. The head of the Post-office Department is learning this to his sorrow. Years ago the farmer was content with almost anything. In those days he didn't have a telephone in the dining room, a wind mill in the yard, an automobile in the shed and a large pile of money in the bank.

So when the experimental rural routes were established in order that husbands might have his mail brought to him once a day, instead of being compelled to get it once a week from the post office when he made his Saturday trip to town, there were plenty of applicants for the place of rural carrier at \$800 a year, even though the successful man understood that he must provide his own horse and wagon.

Now, with rural carriers receiving, many of them \$900 a year, they are not satisfied. It's bad enough for the government servant to be compelled to watch his neighbors riding by him in their touring cars as he picks two pennies out of the mail box and applies the sticky moisture of a parched tongue to sticking a stamp on a letter, without having to provide his own equipment, while suburban city carriers who use horses and vehicles receive an allowance of \$900 a year in addition to their salaries.

Then, too, the rural carrier will insist on complaining about the roads. In other days any road upon which a half loaded wagon would not be stalled when the spring thaw came was good enough, but now the rural carriers, when they assemble in convention, demand that bridges be repaired and barrows dragged over the highway at frequent intervals to make them smooth.

Looking at the matter seriously, however, it is easy to imagine that the rural mail delivery system has been the greatest factor making for good roads. Once the country folk became accustomed to having their mail brought to them they looked for it as anxiously as the city dweller does for his morning delivery.

As the government does not require its rural carriers to travel impossible roads, there was some incentive to improve the condition of the rural highways, and once begun the work was worth carrying on for its own sake. The rural carrier may have the appearance of being a chronic kicker, but he has been of inestimable value to the rural public in several ways.

NORTH PARIS.

M. D. Foss who has been quite sick is improving.

D. H. Curtis is putting a piazza on the front of his house.

Helen Sawyer of Hebron visited at C. A. Churchill's recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Captain Morrill of South Woodstock visited at A. T. Hollis, the 15th.

Mrs. Ina Page of Island Pond, Vt., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Josephine Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Elwell and family are visiting at Oxford, Webster and Winthrop.

Ida Littlehale of Bethel who is to teach the school in the Tuell District this term is at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Littlehale.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Littlehale, Mr. and Mrs. America Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Andrews attended camp-meeting at Poland.

Mrs. Eva Lapham and children Roger and Helen of Woodstock spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. M. S. Bubler. Roger will remain with his aunt for a while.

NORTHWEST NORWAY.

Dell Walker is working for his father, Dr. E. C. Walker.

Ruth Beane has been to Canton and Livermore for a few days' visit.

Lena Buck has returned from Woodford where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Lucia York.

Linwood and Maurice Brown have returned from China Lake where they have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Orin Holman.

Mr. and Mrs. Orin Brown, their daughter Grace and hired man, Percy Libby, went to the Advent campmeeting at Mechanic Falls, Thursday of last week.

Frank and Court Hunt with their mother, and Mrs. Hunt and two of her children, Martin and Louis Knapp from North Norway visited at Dell Walker's, Sunday.

W. S. Merrill of South Paris went up to the cemetery just below Everett Kimball's, Tuesday, and righted the grave stones at his mother's grave. His mother was Mrs. Catherine French Merrill. He is doing other needed work in the cemetery.

For the Head and Hair.

Avoid strong soaps, alkalis such as soda and ammonia, hair tonics of which you are not sure, and too much hot water. These all dry up natural oil and make the hair harsh, dry and given to falling.

Depend on regular brushing of the hair rather than on tonics. Ten minutes' stiff brushing twice a day will do wonders for thinning hair.

Keep the hair absolutely clean. This may be assisted by a dry shampoo if a wet one cannot be given frequently.

For a dry shampoo powder the hair and scalp well and brush until every particle of the powder is gone.

Hair should always be thoroughly dried as the mingling of water with natural oil causes fermentation, which means dandruff and falling locks.

Give the hair plenty of light and air, but do not expose it to the hot rays of the sun for long at a time. It bleaches the hair and often blisters the scalp, drying up the natural oil.

So long as the scalp moves freely over the skull there is hope for the bald head, says Boston Evening Times.

Be particular not to use the brushes and combs of another and see that you do not use your own when in an unsanitary condition. One reason for the baldness of men is due to their carelessness in this respect.

Do not burn your hair, twist it into tortuous knots, strain it back from the temple, or wear it always in the same coil.

Not many years ago, the farmer who followed primitive methods of agriculture would have been regarded as a barbarian. He had been told that he was not farming as well and as skillfully as farming could be done; and would have resented any intimation that his boys might, by special education, become better farmers than he. Every farmer now realizes that his business is actually one of the most important of sciences, and that the agricultural colleges and experiment stations are of inestimable value to him and to his fellow scientists.

Leaves Our Best Health Giver.

The great difference between the city and the country in the summer season, is in the city the air is dead because the buildings are artificial and dead and give off no life giving air.

F. Schuyler Matthews in "Familiar Trees and Their Leaves" says: "It seems a strange fact that we do not fully comprehend the great value of the billions and billions of leaves that clothe the vast forests which, as time progresses, are slowly disappearing before the axe. The cubic feet of lumber which a tree yields are not nearly as valuable to us as the leaves which the living tree puts forth season after season."

"The greatest sphere of usefulness which a tree occupies is connected with its life. It is a great air-purifier; it absorbs from the atmosphere the carbonic acid which is poisonous to us; it holds and slowly dispenses moisture which the parched air needs; it gives out the ozone (or oxygen) in an electro-negative condition which is peculiarly conducive to our health; and it modifies heat which would otherwise be overpowering. Step into the thick woods from an open space on a very hot day, and immediate relief is experienced from the intense heat. This is not wholly the result of shade furnished by the trees; much of it proceeds from the modification of the air through the breathing of the tree leaves. Each leaf, therefore, is a builder and an air-purifier of a nature which is beneficial to us. Its capacity for heat and sunshine is something astonishing."

The Forest Fires.

The Maine state forestry department has kept such close tabs on what is going on in its jurisdiction as to be able to report the amount of damage done the present season by forest fires and the area traversed by this destructive agency. Thirty-two thousand acres of wooded land has been burned over and the loss incurred is more than \$50,000. The latter figure does not represent the value of the growth, but the amount of damage done to it. The low average per acre is due to the fact that a large portion of the acreage is in the remote unorganized townships, so far from market that the stumpage value is not heavy.

These figures are the more significant in that a systematic effort has been made under state official direction to keep down forest fire devastation. Fire wardens have been kept on duty, a patrol maintained and the sentinels posted on the sweeping elevations to give the alarm whenever the first signs of a fire in the wooded area has been discerned. Had it not been for such precautions, the devastation would have been much more extensive. How much more it is useless to speculate. The conditions of prolonged drought have been most favorable, a fact that is substantiated by the extensive damage caused in spite of these precautions.

The worst of the season, taking one year with another is yet to come. The drying winds of the fall months, and the withered grasses and fallen leaves for the fire to feed upon and gain rapid headway, at the same time developing intense heat, make the autumn days most to be dreaded for forest fire damage.

What Relation Was He?

"You say, madam," said the bespectacled lawyer to the woman in the witness chair, "that the defendant is sort of a relation of yours. Will you please explain what you mean by that; just how you are related to the defendant?"

The witness beamed upon the court and replied:

"Well, it's just like this. His first wife's cousin and my second husband's first wife's aunt married brothers named Jones, and they were cousins to my mother's aunt. Then, again, his grandfather on my mother's side and my grandfather on my mother's side were second cousins, and his stepmother married my husband's stepfather after his father and my mother died and his brother Joe and my husband's brother Harry married twin sisters. I don't never figured out just how close related we are, but I've always looked on 'im as a sort of cousin."

"Quite so," answered the lawyer. "Your explanations are perfectly satisfactory."

Maxim and the Old Farmhouse.

Taking apart, piece by piece, his old farmhouse in Abbott, Piscataquis county, and removing it to his magnificent summer estate at Lake Umbagog, N. J. there to re-erect it without changing its former appearance, is the unique project contemplated by Hudson Maxim, the inventor, who has just completed a two weeks' visit to his native state.

Hudson Maxim left the old farmhouse a penniless boy to seek his fortune. He has made a fortune from his inventions. His week in Maine was spent in revisiting all the old familiar scenes and people. At Guilford he found his old school teacher, and on the return trip he visited the brickyard at East Dover, where he used to work, and called upon Lorenzo Dow, for whom he had toiled as a farm hand.

SOUTH CHATHAM.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lang and Gladys visited in Conway at the home of a daughter, Sunday.

A rarely beautiful day and an attentive and appreciative audience in the school room made a favorable beginning for a season of spiritual refreshments on Sunday Aug. 28, when Rev. F. H. Reeves of Lovell, pastor of the Congregational church conducted the services for the day. Mr. Reeves' discourse with growth in character for a topic was carefully prepared and earnestly delivered and must have given inspiration to carry out into the every day life. The singing of familiar hymns in which all joined was satisfactorily led by Mrs. Mabel Smith at the organ.

SOUTH OTISFIELD.

Clara Thorn has returned home. True Winslow and wife have been visiting Mrs. Carrie Smith.

Daisy Ames has returned home where she has been caring for her sick sister.

A. S. Ames and wife and Howard was called to North Windham to see his sick brother.

Mrs. Belinda Tubbs has been visiting Mrs. A. S. Ames and Mrs. Harry Brenier. She has returned home to Casco.

Harry Brenier and wife and Fletcher Scribner and wife spent the evening with Mr. Lumbard. Ice cream was served.

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NORTH WOODSTOCK.

Kicked by a Horse.
Mr. and Mrs. Perry Lapham from Rumford Falls are visiting relatives in Woodstock and Locke's Mills for a few days. Mr. Lapham had the misfortune to get kicked by a horse and has to walk with crutches.

Mr. Elmer Billings is visiting relatives at Bryant's Pond.

Ernest Sessions is helping Elmer Lapham finish hay.

H. A. Sessions went to South Paris on business, Wednesday.

Mrs. A. Sessions remains about the same. She is still confined to her bed.

C. D. McKendall held a preaching service at Poplar schoolhouse, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. N. Farnam spent a few days last week at West Bethel with her daughter, Mrs. John Dival.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rockwell from Massachusetts visited at Nathaniel Farnum's the past week.

Evelyn Whitman, wife and baby visited at Elmer Billings' over Sunday. They returned to their home, Monday night.

There was a killing frost in this vicinity the night of Aug. 30th. The thermometer went down to 28 degrees. All the crops on the low lands were destroyed.

Fred Bryant and wife, Anna Billings, Grace Morse, Addison Bryant, Clarence Farnum, Charles Stevens and wife and Ernest Sessions went to Portland on the excursion, Sunday.

A. H. Smith is having a new silo built. Emma Chandler of Carso has visited at A. H. Smith's.

School commenced at Swampville, Aug. 30th, taught by Mrs. Nettie Hancock.

Helen Edwards of Gloucester is visiting relatives and friends in this place.

Mrs. Wilber Plummer of Bowdoinham is visiting her sister, Mrs. Bert Morey.

Mrs. Rose Edwards and Mrs. Frank LaTulippe and daughter Nellie visited at Algerton Ames' recently.

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ROBERT E. PRATT,
Norway, Me., Sept. 2, 1909.

NORTHWEST NORWAY.

Decker-Boyle.
We recently heard of the marriage of Flora A. Decker to Harry Boyle of Portland. Miss Decker spent some years in Norway at the home of C. A. Frost. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents 59 Myrtle St. Nelson Decker, brother of the bride was best man and her sister Addie was bridesmaid. A reception at which there was present a few friends and relatives was held in the evening after the marriage Aug. 18th.

They had many fine presents some of which were two nice rockers, quilt, rug, water set, tea set, clock, table cloth, one dozen napkins, commode set, 1/2 dozen silver knives, forks, teaspoons, 1/2 dozen plates, cups and saucers and a glass dish. Besides these were many odd pieces as salad dishes, two berry sets, sauce dishes. Harlequin ice cream, fancy cookies and wedding cake were served to the guests who all had a fine time.

Henry Brown has sold his farm to Samuel Howe and is going to move to Nebraska.

Liawood Brown and Maurice went to camp meeting, Thursday. Everett Kimball helped Parley Libby do the chores. Orin Brown and family came to camp meeting, Monday.

NORTH NORWAY.
Ed. York is painting O. W. H. Judkins' house.

Heavy frost Monday night, injuring crops on low ground.

Mr. and Mrs. Justin McIntire were at O. N. Cox's, the 30th.

Mrs. Lola Curtis has gone to Haverhill, Mass., visiting relatives.

The two little nieces, Adams girls, at Guy Curtis', have returned home.

Mrs. Mabel Symonds went to Lewiston, Sunday, to visit her friend, Mrs. Cora Wood.

Lois and Gladys Wood went to the C. M. G. hospital, the 29th, to see their mother, Mrs. Cora Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Q. Elliott attended the celebration on Paris Hill, Friday, also Field Day on fair grounds.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Russell and lady boarders, also Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Merrill spent the day at Old Orchard recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Needham were surprised by a birthday party, the 25th, given by their daughter, Miss Hazel. They were the recipients of many nice presents, gold chain, locket set with pearls, parlor lamp and other presents.

BUCKFIELD.
Buckfield High School team 5; Leavitt team 4, is the result of the game played at Turner Center.

Mrs. Annie Seavey and daughter Alice of Boston, have been with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Washburn for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Lot E. Keene have been visited by their daughter, Mrs. Fred Booney and daughter, of South Paris.

Alma Gamman is making extensive repairs on his house, extending the piazza, putting in new windows, etc.

L. L. Morrill has returned from the Central Maine General Hospital and will be treated at home for the injury to his hand.

Mrs. Isaac Smith has been visited by her father, Clarence Rollins, also her sister, Mrs. J. E. Kennedy and her family of Fort Fairfield.

Frankline Woodworth and Arline Crocker of South Paris have been visiting Mrs. A. W. Pottle, also Mrs. Sadie Jones, wife of Rev. N. G. Jones, of Boston, spent the Sabbath with Mrs. Pottle.

The annual re-union of the Conant family was held at Nazincoot Hall. There were about 50 present. The Conant family band gave a concert in the square and in the evening the usual dance was held.

The local G. A. R. men were kept busy last week attending a county veterans' meeting at Canton Wednesday, the re-union of the 23d Regiment at Mechanic Falls Thursday, the Hamlin memorial services at Paris Friday and the "Grand Army Day" of the East Hebron Grange Saturday.

H. A. Irish and wife spent Sunday with Lewis M. Irish at Rumford.

A. T. Cole and wife have been at the Rangleys Lakes for a short vacation.

C. C. Withington has been to Detroit, Mich., in the interests of the Brush Co. Lyman Merrill of South Paris was over Sunday.

Prof. Osborne McConathy of Boston with his family have been spending a two weeks' vacation here.

Mrs. Carrie Spaulding has returned from an extended visit with relatives in Caribou, Houlton and Fort Fairfield.

A. M. Moore has built a reservoir on the hill above the C. B. Atwood place and will pump water from a spring which supplies his residence into the reservoir, and a pipe from this to both houses.

BETHEL.
Mrs. E. E. Burham has returned from her vacation and resumed her duties at the bank.

The dedication of the dormitory of Gould Academy will be Sept. 16. The fall term will open Sept. 21.

Charles Davis, who owns the stage line from Bethel to Upton, now conveys the passengers in an auto which is a beauty.

Mrs. E. H. Pratt and children, who have spent several weeks at Mrs. Pratt's mother's, Olive Grove's, have returned to Oskadee.

Mrs. O. M. Mason, Mrs. Nellie Curtis and Mrs. Mary Banghart have been chosen delegates to attend the W. C. T. U. State convention at Bangor, Sept. 16-18.

EAST BETHEL.
Mr. and Mrs. David Gaw returned home to Cambridge, Mass., the 25th. Hayrack rides and picnics are much enjoyed by the young people here.

Louisa Strasburg of Rumford is spending this week with her friend, Ella Farwell.

Elmer Cole and bride of Washington, D. C., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Cole.

George Armitage and daughter, Rilla Armitage of Lawrence, Mass., are guests of relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Brown of Grand Rapids, Michigan, visited at Porter Farwell's last week.

Mrs. Jennie Mitchell was called to Milan, N. H., last week by the illness of her husband, Everett Mitchell.

Mr. Macdonald of New York is at Porter Farwell's and will hold preaching services at the church here on Sunday forenoon, Sept. 5th.

OXFORD.

Schools Begin.

Schools in the different districts of the town of Oxford will begin as follows: The high and grammar schools at Oxford village will begin, Monday, Sept. 6; also the schools at Welchville, East Oxford, and Welch districts. The intermediate and primary village schools and schools on Pigeon Hill will begin, Monday, Sept. 13th.

A crowd went from Oxford to Old Orchard, Sunday.

Percy Adams of Mechanic Falls was in town, Monday.

Geo. H. Jones made a business trip to Portland, Monday.

Walter Bean left for Boston, Thursday morning, for a short stay.

Charles Durell is spending a few days with relatives on High street.

Chester McAllister is confined to the house on account of serious illness.

Erithia Sisters will hold their regular meeting Wednesday evening, Sept. 8th.

Stella Walker of Portland is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. George H. Jones.

The next meeting of Oxford Grange, No. 48, will be held on Saturday night, Sept. 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Davis are spending a few days at Dr. Harris' cottage on Lake Thompson.

Mrs. Everett Wright and daughter from Bath was visiting at Joseph Treblecock last week.

Mrs. Canton and daughter Lizzie and Mrs. William Locke attended the camp meeting, Sunday.

Several of our young people attended the dance at Central Park, Monday night. A good time was enjoyed.

Dr. Holden arrived home, Friday, after having made a tour of the West. The trip was enjoyed very much.

Alton Kavanagh of Bangor, who has been spending a few days with his parents, returned to Bangor, Tuesday.

Floyd Wardwell of Quincy, Mass., is spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Chadbourne.

Mrs. Geo. H. Jones, who has been confined to the house on account of illness, is reported as improving rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Heslop and son Charles returned home, Wednesday, after having spent a few weeks in Old Orchard.

Mr. and Mrs. Seiders and Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell of Portland are spending a few days with Mrs. Seiders' mother, Mrs. Hattie Farnham.

Mr. and Mrs. George Heslop and son Charles and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Treblecock and daughter Hazel attended the camp meeting, Sunday.

A large number attended the dance at Robinson Hall, Saturday night. There will be another dance, Thursday night, Sept. 2nd, music to be furnished by Holden's Concert Band.

Mrs. William Boyd and Mrs. Josiah Treblecock and daughter Ethel returned home Monday from Mechanic Falls camp meeting where they have been spending the week.

Fore Street.
Eva Thompson is at Norway at work for the present.

Arthur Curtis and family visited Mrs. Curtis' people at Stoneham over Sunday.

Ethel Twitchell has returned to her home after a few weeks at North Bridgton.

E. Twitchell and family have returned from Mechanic Falls campground where they have been for their annual outing. Frank Cotton has been doing his work during their absence.

WEST SUMNER.
Mrs. Hattie Curtis of Paris is visiting in town.

Miss Barrett of Mexico spent a few days with her brother, F. G. Barrett. The village school commenced Monday, Aug. 30; A. Holmes of Hartford, teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Merrill of Virginia were guests of Mrs. Merrill's parents a few days last week.

Admiral Lyons' wife and mother, Mrs. James of Paris Hill were in the place Thursday, on business.

Mrs. Mary Keen and daughter, Mrs. Una Chase, of Sudbury, Mass., are visiting Mrs. Keen's brother, W. Blaine, at Rumford. The Keens' home was closed Wednesday, Sept. 1, for the season. They are very enjoyable people and are much enjoyed by the people of the place.

Rev. Chester G. Miller will preach next Sunday morning and evening. As he closes his services for the year it is hoped that there will be a large delegation both morning and evening.

Several couples attended the Hamlin Centennial on Paris Hill, Friday, the 29th, and reported a very fine entertainment, although the weather was rather unfavorable on account of the wind.

The Snow Bound Reading club was royally entertained at Rumford, Saturday afternoon, by the ladies of the club. The members were Mrs. H. J. Howe will entertain the S. B. R. C., Thursday, Sept. 2. Roll call, Pope; reading, Lion and the Mouse.

Upton Family Reunion.
The reunion of the Upton family was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Murray Russell in Greenwood, Tuesday, Aug. 31. Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Russell.
Mr. and Mrs. Olin Upton.
Ethel Upton.
Eva Upton.
Minnie Upton.
Percy Upton.
Wayland Upton.
Mrs. Harriet Stephens, aged 90 years.
Florence Russell.
Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Lovering, West Meadford.
Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Noyes.
Mildred Upton.

A bounteous repast was served, brown bread and beans baked in the ground, old fashioned Indian pudding, pumpkin and blackberry pies, with all the good things in abundance to tempt the appetite.

One of the pleasant and notable features of the occasion was the presence of Mrs. Harriet Stephens, mother of Dr. C. A. Stephens, at the advanced age of 90 years, who is wonderfully smart and active. In her beautiful way she expressed her pleasure of meeting with so many of her relatives.

It was indeed an enjoyable gathering which marked the passing of another mile stone on life's journey.

The stores of F. G. Eames and R. E. Knight at Rumford Point were burglarized Monday night, Aug. 23. The stuff stolen at each place consisted of crackers, cheese, cookies, cigars and tobacco. No money was taken.

NORTH LOVELL.

A Narrow Escape.

Max Eastman, the Lovell stage driver, was seriously hurt by falling from the top of the coach Friday. He was strapped on some trunks and the rope broke and he fell to the ground striking on his hands and face. His wrists were sprained, his face cut badly and bruised, but no bones broken. It was a narrow escape from what might have been a serious accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Eastman of North Fryeburg were guests at Parley McKenney's recently.

A son and daughter of Horace Ballard of Fryeburg have visited their aunt, Mrs. Ethel Wilson.

Mrs. Edgar McAllister has gone to Massachusetts to visit her sons, Charles and George Witham.

Mrs. Millie Butters, after spending her vacation at home, has returned to Dr. Goodridge's at North Waterford.

Mrs. Bertha Boyrs has returned to Norway after visiting relatives and friends in this locality the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harriman of Norway, Mr. and Mrs. Outler of Paris, are staying at the Allen cottage this week.

Mrs. Nancy Thomas, who has been visiting her son and other relatives at friends, has returned to her home in Norway.

The ball given under the auspices of the Grange, Wednesday night was a success socially and financially. A large crowd was present and a good time was enjoyed by all. Cake and ice cream were served at intermission and lemonade was on sale through the evening.

WEST PARIS.
Mrs. Maxwell of Montreal has been visiting Mrs. Levi Shedd.

Mrs. Fred Bird of Worcester, Mass., is visiting her relatives here.

Wm. Cookson is confined to his bed with a severe case of lumbago.

Auverne Lapham and family are moving into Hazelah Kassar's rent.

Quite a lot from here went to the Hamlin Memorial at Paris Hill last Friday.

P. M. Wyman went to Rumford with a load of blackberries, Tuesday, for his father, F. L. Wyman.

Marie Willis of Norway spent a day the first of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dean are rejoicing over the birth of a nice girl baby in their home, born Aug. 28th.

A number of the West Paris Grangers attended the Pomona Field day at the Norway fair grounds last Saturday.

The assistant engine is stationed here for a week or two. Walter Emery is engineering it in Mr. Cookson's place.

W. E. Ricker is agent for the Columbia indestructible photograph records and has them on sale at Lester Penley's store.

Mrs. Mary Peckover and daughter Helen, Lawrence, Mass., are here visiting their relatives, A. J. Ricker and family.

Mrs. F. E. Wheeler is entertaining her friend, Miss Walker, from Brooklyn, N. Y., and her friend, Mr. Peoy, from New York city.

Ed. Berry and little daughter Alice from Bethel and Mr. John Bennett of Farmington are visiting at the Berry brothers.

A. D. Coburn has been quite sick for a week past, threatened with typhoid fever. The disease was checked and he is now on the gain.

Clarence Curtis and little daughter, Clara Mae, of Boston came last Saturday evening to visit their mother, Mrs. A. R. Buckman. Mr. Curtis returned the next day, leaving Clara Mae here for a few weeks' visit.

Mrs. Frank McKenney returned home, Monday, after a four weeks' stay at the seashore for her health. It did not prove beneficial as was hoped. She is glad to get home and although very weak her appetite is better and her many friends hope that she may soon recover.

The union Temperance meeting held at the Universalist church last Sunday evening was very interesting. There were singing by Mrs. Samuel Bates, Jr., Mrs. R. T. Flavin and Alice Welcome, and remarks by the pastors, Rev. L. W. Raymond and Rev. D. R. Ford. Good music was interspersed, two selections by a ladies' quartette, a duet by Mr. and Mrs. Weidman, a solo by Alice Barden and a praise service led by a mixed quartette.

The lawn social held by the ladies' circle of the Free Baptist church was a great success. W. W. Dunham's lawn decorated with Japanese lanterns was very attractive. The musical entertainment and readings given by Mr. Dunham's guests was of the very best. It was a very warm night, the attendance large and the ice cream was sold before all who wished could be served. A good time was enjoyed. A little shower about nine o'clock made some hasten home, while others repaired to the remainder of the program.

GREENWOOD.
Mrs. F. H. Maxwell and Mrs. F. J. Cole went to Lewiston, Saturday.

George Cole has had his threshing done by the King brothers, Westley and Herbert.

Mrs. Herriock from Gilead visited her friend, Jennie Knight at A. J. Hayes', Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swan visited relatives, Saturday and Sunday, at Locke's Mills.

Henry Walker, aged 9 years, son of Mrs. Frank Ring, died of an abscess on his leg. There has been some trouble with the abscess a few weeks at Frank Ring's. Mr. Brown is in poor health and intends to buy a farm.

There was a ball game, Saturday afternoon, between the Greenwood and West Paris teams. The score was 5 to 2 in favor of West Paris.

SWEDEN.
Young partridges are scarce in this section.

E. C. Tower is digging a well, had to blast the last few feet.

Walter E. Gordon has built him a barn shed and carriage house.

There has been several cases of bad colds and sore throats of late.

Dora and Mattie A. Gordon of Biddeford are visiting at their parental home. Walter Stover has been confined to the house the last week by rheumatism.

Uncle Samuel Bryan has his barn well filled with hay, has done the most of the work of getting it although past 80 years of age.

Fryeburg Academy

FRYEBURG, MAINE.